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Application of Wenda Mason  
Serial No. 09/692,797  
Filed October 20, 2000  
Confirmation No. 7141

Art Unit 1616

For FATTY ACID-BASED HERBICIDAL COMPOSITION

Examiner John Pak

April 5, 2004

**AMENDMENT D**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

SIR:

In response to the non-final Office action dated December 3, 2003, Applicant submits the following Amendment D.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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**FEE TRANSMITTAL**

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